

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL (Only for new nonprovisional applications

under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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COMPUTER COLOR MATCHING METHOD OF PAINT AND PREPARING METHOD OF PAINT USING THE SAME METHOD

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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. [XX] Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to:(1) Nippon Paint Co., Ltd., Osaka, Japan (2) Nisshinbo Industries, Inc., Tokyo, Japan

Please publish the assignee data with the application.

37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

[XX] Power of Attorney

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